STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH BUREAU OF REGULATORY SERVICES

In re: Wendy Lopes

Petition No. 2000-1030-000-118

PRELICENSURE CONSENT ORDER

WHEREAS, Wendy Lopes of Glastonbury (hereinafter "respondent") has applied for licensure to practice as a hairdresser and cosmetician by the Department of Public Health (hereinafter "the Department") pursuant to Chapter 387 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as amended; and, WHEREAS, respondent agrees that:

- 1. The Department has at no time issued respondent a license to practice the occupation of hairdressing and cosmetology under the General Statutes of Connecticut, Chapter 387.
- 2. In October of 2000, she engaged in the occupation of hairdresser and cosmetician at *Hair Gallery* in Marlborough.
- 3. The conduct described above constitutes grounds for the denial of respondent's application for licensure pursuant to §19a-14 of the General Statutes of Connecticut.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to §19a-14 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, respondent hereby stipulates and agrees to the following:

- 1. Respondent waives the right to a hearing on the merits of her application for licensure.
- 2. Respondent shall pay a civil penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) by certified or cashier's check payable to "Treasurer, State of Connecticut." The check shall reference the Petition Number on the face of the check, and shall be payable at the time respondent submits the executed Consent Order to the Department.

- 3. After satisfying the requirements for licensure as a hairdresser and cosmetician as set forth in Chapter 387 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, respondent's license to practice as a hairdresser and cosmetician will be issued.
- 4. Respondent shall comply with all state and federal statutes and regulations applicable to her license.
- 5. Respondent understands that this Prelicensure Consent Order may be considered as evidence of the above-admitted violations in any proceeding before the Connecticut Examining Board for Barbers, Hairdressers and Cosmeticians in which her compliance with \$20-263 of the Connecticut General Statutes, as amended, is at issue.
- 6. This Prelicensure Consent Order and terms set forth herein are not subject to reconsideration, collateral attack or judicial review under any form or in any forum.

 Further, this Prelicensure Consent Order is not subject to appeal or review under the provisions of Chapters 54 and 368a of the General Statutes of Connecticut, provided that this stipulation shall not deprive respondent of any other rights that she may have under the laws of the State of Connecticut or of the United States.
- 7. This Prelicensure Consent Order is a revocable offer of settlement which may be modified by mutual agreement or withdrawn by the Department at any time prior to its being executed by the last signatory.
- 8. This Prelicensure Consent Order is effective when accepted and approved by a duly appointed agent of the Department.
- 9. Respondent understands this Prelicensure Consent Order is a matter of public record.
- 10. Respondent understands she has the right to consult with an attorney prior to signing this Prelicensure Consent Order.

I, Wendy Lopes have read the above Prelicensure Consent Order, and I agree to the terms and allegations set forth therein. I further declare the execution of this Prelicensure Consent Order to be my free act and deed.

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Wendy Lopes	

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Notary Public or person authorized by law to administer an oath or

affirmation

The above Prelicensure Consent Order having been presented to the duly appointed agent of the

Commissioner of the Department of Public Health on the State day of December

2000, it is hereby ordered and accepted.

Division of Health Systems Regulation

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